

IN COMMAND OF AEROPLANES AT TSINGTAO SIEGE

Capt. H. Wada, Passenger on
Tenyo, May Enlist With
England or France

Capt. H. Wada of the Japanese aerial fleet, who was in command of a fleet of aeroplanes during the bombardment and capture of Tientsin, the former German naval base, by the Japanese, gave the local Japanese newspapers an unusually interesting story yesterday. Capt. Wada was a through passenger in the Tenyo Maru.

"When you are flying in an airplane and the enemy is shooting at you with cannon there is not so very much danger," he told the Hawaii Hochi, "but when they train rifles on you, you have to look out. When I commanded the aerial fleet during the siege of Tientsin the Germans were shooting at us with cannon, but fortunately none of the shells found their mark. Then they began using small rifles and the hall of bullets tore through the planes of our craft and at times threatened to put the motors out of commission. I will have to admit that we were a bit frightened at times."

"The Japanese are born airmen. Their bodies are small, their minds clear and their hearts are brave. In the future I believe the Japanese will control the aerial world."

Capt. Wada told the Hochi that he may join the English or French aerial fleets.

"When I left Japan and the Tenyo Maru was far from land, I saw two of our aeroplanes chasing the vessel," he continued. "They flew over the vessel and dropped communication bombs on its deck. Two of the bombs fell overboard, but the third was recovered. It contained a message addressed to me from an officer of the aerial fleet, sending me his good will."

LARGE SUPPLY OF SWEETMEATS FOR HONOLULU TODAY

The Matsushima brought a large and assorted shipment of that famous Orange Blossom candy to the Honolulu Drug Co.

There has been a "near famine" of these delicious confections for the past few days, consequently this announcement should be received with pleasure by those who have missed it, for one always misses it, if accustomed to it and unable to get it for a time.—Adv.

PEOPLE OF MANY NATIONS TO TALK ON TEMPERANCE

Promptly at 7:30 o'clock this evening a huge mass meeting in the cause of temperance, and under the auspices of the local Anti-Saloon League, will begin in Kaunakapili church, Kalihiki, every resident of Honolulu, as well as delegates to the convention of the Hawaiian Evangelical Association, who are interested in temperance and in the work of the league, are invited to attend.

The speakers will be Rev. George Laughton and Rev. Stephen L. Desha of Hilo and Dr. John W. Wadman of Honolulu, superintendent of the league. On the platform will be representatives of the Portuguese, Chinese, Japanese and Filipinos. Rev. Mr. Lake of Hana, Maui, will offer prayer.

Beginning at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning the adjourned annual meeting of the league will be held in the Kaunakapili church. There will be several interesting reports. W. A. Brown, chairman of the advisory committee, will preside.

The following questions will be discussed during the annual meeting: "Is public sentiment in favor of prohibition growing?" "Is the custom of social drinking on the increase or decrease?" "Which do you favor, Territorial or

KNOWS NOTHING ABOUT POLITICS, SAYS GOVERNOR

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his office until tomorrow or Thursday. Appointments to 16 commissions and four other offices are awaiting the return of the executive to his office. Before leaving for the mainland, Governor Pinkham said he would make these appointments immediately on his return. He reiterated this promise today.

As the steamer entered the harbor this morning at 7:15 o'clock, First Armstrong fired 17 shots in salute to the governor. The National Guard also fired a salute of 17 rounds from the capital grounds.

The Capitol building flew its six big American and Hawaiian flags this morning in honor of the return of the governor. He did not go to the office this morning, but remained at home to rest up from the ocean voyage. Technically speaking he resumed the governorship as soon as he reached the three-mile limit from the islands.

The appointments to the commissions, most of which were created by new laws passed by the 1915 legislature, and other offices to be vacant, are shown in the following list, published by courtesy of George Clark, secretary to the governor:

Commission of Deeds, Board of Industrial Schools, Oahu Loan Fund Commission, two vacancies; Milk Commission, Promotion Committee members from outside islands, Sanitary Code Commission, Tax Commission, Territorial Tax Commission, chairmanship vacant; Water Resources and Water Laws Commission; Civil Service commission for classified service of territorial Board of Health, one vacancy.

Commissions expired: A. H. Rice, member of Board of Agriculture, January 1, 1915; E. H. Wodehouse, president of Board of Immigration, expired April 30, 1915; Carl S. Carmichael, commission on uniformity of legislation, April 30; J. N. S. Williams, Public Utilities commission, June 30; Walter E. Wall, territorial surveyor July 1; Board of Prison Inspectors, third judicial district—M. Makakua, H. H. Renton, L. P. August, all expired July 20, 1915; Board of Prison Inspectors, fifth judicial district—J. M. Lydgate, July 20; District magistrates: Alexander D. Lornach, Honolulu, May 15; Thomas Nakanehala, South Kohala, May 21; Edward Hore, Waialua, June 12; Joseph A. Akina, Waimea, Kauai, June 15. All of these latter four are second district magistrates except Nakanehala.

FOR ACID STOMACHS USE MAGNESIA

The almost universal use of magnesia by physicians and specialists in the treatment of stomach troubles, is due to the fact that it stops food fermentation and neutralizes the acid, the direct cause of nearly all stomach troubles. Of the many forms of magnesia such as oxides, citrates, carbonates, sulphates, etc., the most suitable and efficient, and the one prescribed by leading specialists is bisulphated magnesia, a teaspoonful of which in a little warm water immediately after eating will instantly neutralize the acid, stop fermentation, and thus ensure painless normal digestion. Care should be taken to get bisulphated magnesia, as its action is infinitely more effective. It is also, by the way, usually stocked by druggists in convenient compressed tablets as well as in the ordinary powder form. Stomach sufferers and dyspeptics who follow this plan and avoid the use of pain-killers, charcoal, acid mints, drugs and medicines are invariably astonished to find that the stomach, relieved of the irritating acid and gas, soon regains its normal tone, and can do its work alone without the doubtful aid of artificial digestants. For sale by Benson, Smith & Co., Hollister Drug Co., and Chambers Drug Co.—Adv.

Federal prohibition? "What more can we all do in order to increase the efficiency of the Anti-Saloon League?"

"Are the churches doing their part in promoting the cause of prohibition?"

"What more can the pastors do in this regard?"

"In what special way can the businessmen of the city promote temperance?"

"Do you favor the total abstinence pledge?"

"How best can we save the drunkard?"

"If the present liquor law is good, how can it be made better?"

WANTS FOUR NEW LIGHTS AROUND PUBLIC LIBRARY

P. L. Weaver Sends Application
to Supervisors—Prospect of Busy Meeting

An application will be submitted tonight at the meeting of the board of supervisors for two new lights, to be installed on each side of the public library. The application is made by Attorney P. L. Weaver.

There are several reasons for the request, so the letter states, but the chief one is the fact that women approaching the library during the evening hours are timid about the dark approaches thereto, and that additional light will be a greater protection against any possible attempt at robbery.

The letter also recalls that one of the employees of the library was beaten and robbed last spring inside the building, and that the assailant fled down one of these dark streets and escaped.

Several applications will be made for establishing stores at tonight's meeting, most of them from Chinese merchants. Letters from several of the men named by the mayor to serve on the water commission have been received stating willingness to act in this capacity.

COMES TO MEET LONDON, PASSES HIM IN MID-SEA

To come all the way from the San Joaquin valley in California to Honolulu to meet Jack London and Mrs. London, and then to pass the London's in mid-ocean, was the ill luck of Elynn Hoffman of Patterson, Cal., editor and manager of the Patterson Irrigator, one of the five papers of the interior of the state.

Mr. Hoffman arrived in Honolulu this morning in the Matsushima. While at sea he passed the Sonoma, carrying Mr. and Mrs. London to the mainland—only the smoke of the Sonoma being visible on the horizon. Wireless messages were exchanged, and as a result the Londons will probably return to Hawaii about the middle of next month, instead of deferring their return until December, as they planned when they left here last Thursday.

Mr. Hoffman, who has never been in the islands before, plans to remain here for a three months' vacation.

ARIZONA MAN IS HERE TO VISIT AT SCHOFIELD

Capt. L. W. Mix, a capitalist from Nogales, Arizona, and his two daughters were among the passengers to arrive from the mainland in the Matsushima this morning. Their trip to Hawaii is to visit Lieut. and Mrs. Alexander L. P. Johnson at Schofield Barracks, Mrs. Johnson being a daughter of Capt. Mix. Lieut. Johnson is with the 4th Cavalry.

Last month Capt. Mix was at the Brooklyn navy yard as the chairman of the committee of citizens from Arizona who represented the state at the launching of the new battleship Arizona on June 19. Capt. Mix, who has been for many years a friend of George K. French, an attorney of Honolulu, is heavily interested in Mexico city and other parts of the revolution-torn republic. Mrs. French is a sister of the late Ramon Corral, who was one of the vice-presidents of Mexico under Diaz.

VESSELS TO AND FROM THE ISLANDS

(Special Wireless to Merchants' Exchange)

Tuesday, July 20
Hilo—Sailed, July 18, schooner A. M. Baxter for Port Angeles.
San Francisco—Arrived, July 19, S. S. Hyades from Hilo, July 8.
San Francisco—Arrived, July 20, 11:30 a. m., S. S. Wilhelmina from Honolulu, July 14.
San Francisco—O—Arrived, July 20, 11:30 a. m., S. S. Manchuria from Honolulu, July 14.
S. S. MANOA sails for San Francisco at 4 o'clock (mail closes at 2:30).

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TODAY'S NEWS TODAY

JAPANESE MAY PARK TRACT ON NUUANU STREAM

The efforts of the Civic Federation to improve and make into a public park a section of land along the Nuuanu stream between School and Kuanini streets, known as the Liliuokalani Gardens, has ceased, and probably permanently. This information was given this morning by a member of the federation, who said that at present the organization has no funds with which to continue the work.

It is reported, however, that certain Japanese of Honolulu are contemplating taking over the work and pushing it to completion. The Civic Federation is depending on the Japanese to raise money and take hold of the work, in conformity with a promise made to have been made about four years ago, when the work was first started. At that time the Japanese contributed about \$600. It was understood at that time that the city and county would aid the Japanese if the latter made the start, a member of the federation said today.

FREITAS DRAWS DEEP BREATH AS GLASS IS FIXED

At least one of the troubles of Building Inspector Freitas has ended. That one is the cracked plate glass window that let in the light above the inspector's office table, and threatened him continually with thoughts of what might happen should it come down upon his head. The glass was removed this morning, and a brand new one put in its place.

Quite a history attaches to the broken glass. It was cracked last year by the heavy firing of the coast defense guns at target practice. As the days went by the crack, together with the inspector's fears, grew larger. He took up the matter with the Kapoli Estate, which owns the building. When the estate agent delayed in replacing the window, a report was submitted to the board of supervisors.

This was at the last meeting of the board, and the board in a business-like way turned the matter over to the city and county attorney. Yesterday, when the big guns began to boom again, the crack widened visibly, and the officer of the building inspectors was thrown into a panic, after which the Kapoli Estate had the window fixed.

ATHLETES TALK ON TRAINING FOR COLLEGE SPORTS

The boys of the Y. M. C. A. summer school are having a treat these days in chapel talks by noted athletes who are in the city. Yesterday morning the talk was by J. C. Huston, the Stanford rower who was captain of his crew in 1910, and who is now on his way to take up the position of student interpreter to the American ambassador at Peking.

Huston gave a rousing talk on the work necessary before a man can hope to gain a place on any college crew, citing incidents in his own college course, and telling in a vivid way of the races he had rowed.

This morning the chapel talk was made by Frederick Withington, a tackle on the Harvard football team last season. Withington told of the training given to a Harvard man, dividing the training season into four different periods. These are the periods of gaining skill, speed, fighting power and spirit or bond sympathy. The real football man, he said, has no time to learn "dirty ball," and it is clean ball that the coaches of today are crying for.

Tomorrow morning the speaker is to be Herman von Holt, a member of the Yale football team, who played a position on the line.

DAILY REMINDERS

Round the island in auto, \$4.00. Lewis Stables. Phone 2141.—Adv.
Ladies, see the new steamer hats at Milton & Parsons. They're the latest from the Coast.—Adv.
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KAMEHAMEHA IS ONLY HOPE FOR GETTING TROPHY

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Four hits were made on the small material target towed across the field of fire. With the 3-inch guns there is no plotting of splashes to determine hits on a theoretical target. Actual holes in an actual target are what count and unfortunately they were few this morning. The range seemed to be good throughout, most of the errors being due to deflection.

Service practice with the 3-inch guns is about the prettiest of any in the local defenses. There are fewer delays as a rule and more shots are fired. The target is at comparatively short range and it is possible for spectators to see the whole performance. Then again, there is more of a firing problem worked out with the smaller caliber guns. Two separate tugs tow two targets on different courses and it is not until the last minute that the battery commander knows which target he is to fire on. The two guns are served by a double detail in order to train more men of the company to actual firing. After the first string of 20 shots this shift is made. T. D. Sloan commands the battery of 3-inch guns this year.

At the completion of day firing at Fort Armstrong, Col. Rafferty, commanding the coast defenses, accompanied by several observers on duty for the practice, left for Fort Kamehameha, where day practice is being conducted this afternoon.

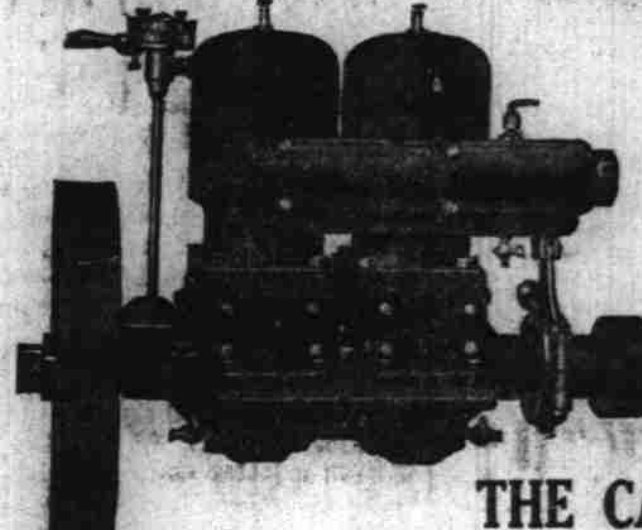
Tonight there will be firing from the Fort Ruger mortars, the practice being scheduled to commence at 8:30. Yesterday afternoon the 14-inch gun at De Russy fired seven shots for record, after a long delay, due to a steamer getting in the field of fire. Some irregularity had been found with the powder at the time of the trial shots, and although disappointing it was no great surprise to the battery officers that no more hits were made.

The mortars at Battery Harlow Fort Ruger, were also erratic in their firing yesterday morning. Practice for the 6-inch battery at De Russy followed the 14-inch firing and was apparently quite successful. This battery, commanded this year by Lieut. L. D. Pagan, led all the 6-inch guns in the service last year. Apparently the projectiles were striking very close to the target yesterday.

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